

## Order of Service

May 17, 2026  
Testimony Sunday

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Praise Songs

Scripture Galatians 2:20

Testimonies  
*Liberty Harris*  
*Judy Ten Haken*  
*Josh Voskuil*

Giving

Congregational Prayer *Pastor David Krueger*

Hymns

Benediction

*Thanks for joining us today!*

## Weekly Gatherings

### This Week's Calendar

- Sunday:** Prayer Time—8:15 am (Matthew)  
New Membership Discovery Class for Youth  
10:30 am (Conference Room—next to church office)  
Laura's Story of Surrender - 10:15 am (Matthew)  
VBS Volunteer Meeting - 10:15 am (Fellowship Hall)  
The Well-HS - 6:30-8 pm
- Monday:** Bethany Circle - 9 am (Nehemiah) (Leader: Barb Hesselink, Hostesses: Linda Daane & Sylvia Ludens)  
I-Fit 6-7:30 pm (Fellowship Hall)
- Tuesday:** Pickleball—6-8 pm (Gym)  
Transformers - 7 pm (Chapel)
- Wednesday:** Well-MS – 6-7:30 pm
- Thursday:** Women's Bible Study - 9 am (Matthew)  
Read Thru The Bible—6 pm (Conference Room)  
(Exodus 13-18)  
Private Event - 6-8 pm (Fellowship Hall)

### Upcoming Events

- May 27: Well-MS 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Send-off  
May 31: VBS Volunteer Meeting  
June 7: Well-HS Welcome Incoming Freshmen  
June 10: VBS Volunteer Meeting & Craft Prep.  
June 15-18: Vacation Bible School  
June 15: Well-MS Lunch & Water Fun (Welcome Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> Graders) - 12:30 pm  
June 21: VBS Sunday Celebration  
July 9-11: LifeFest  
July 12-19: Well-HS Mission Trip  
July 24-26: Kids Camp  
August 9-16: Transformers Mission Trip

## Announcements

### Prayers And Praises

- ~Praise God that He has given us the Bible, which is loaded with testimonies of countless people who have been changed by his power and grace. Hebrews 11 lists 16 illuminating testimonies alone.
- ~Thank God for the transformative work He's doing in the lives of our own people and for the testimonies of Liberty Harris, Josh Voskuil, and Judy Ten Haken. May their testimonies inspire others to give their lives to God and live for him!
- ~That we may honor God with our lives, so that our families and our church would be a collective witness to our communities of the love of God.
- ~VBS planning committee and volunteers, as they are busy working on this summer's program.
- ~Genny Ten Pas as she recovers from surgery.
- ~Kim Zastrow as she recovers from surgery.

### Thank You

Thanks for the prayers and cards of encouragement as I recover from my recent back surgery.  
~Genny Ten Pas

### VBS—Be Part of the Best Week of Summer!

Vacation Bible School is almost here, and we would love for you to join the fun, as we explore the comfort and trust of Psalm 23 together! VBS is one of the most impactful weeks of the year for our kids. **Be sure to register as soon as possible—DEADLINE MAY 28!**

### Lost and Found

The Lost and Found is once again overflowing, including many winter jackets. Please check the table and coat rack in the south narthex closest to the office for any of your belongings. Anything not claimed TODAY will be donated.

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### Missions On The Move

Hey dads! Camp Paradise is a 5-day camp opportunity to spend one-on-one time with your 8-12-year-old son or daughter. Located in the U.P. near Newbury, MI, it is a stand-alone Christian organization overseen by Willow Creek Church in Chicago. Dads Camp aims to give you a foundation to grow your relationship with your son or daughter, while being unplugged in the Northwoods. **Moms:** If you need an idea for Father's Day, this would be a great option! There are 10 sessions scheduled throughout the summer, based on the age and gender of your child. You can talk to Mike Smies for more information, and visit [www.WillowCreek.org/Get-Involved/Camp-Paradise](http://www.WillowCreek.org/Get-Involved/Camp-Paradise) for all the details.

### By-Law Update

The By-Law Committee, consisting of Pastor David, and Elders Matt Lee, David Cook & Steve Hokanson, will meet next Tuesday to continue working on a final rough draft of the church by-laws. Our goal is to provide Gibbsville Church with a clear, concise, and easy-to-read set of by-laws for both our members and leaders. This is an important effort to help ensure that our congregation clearly understands how our church operates and is governed.

### VBS Volunteer Meetings and Craft Prep

All meetings to be held in the Fellowship Hall.

\* TODAY at 10:15 am \* Sunday, May 31, at 10:15 am

\* Wednesday, June 10, at 6 pm

Can't serve during VBS week? You can still support this ministry through donations! It costs approximately \$40 per student to attend VBS, and donations help provide registration assistance, crafts, games, snacks, and supplies. Visit the donation board at the back of church or check out our Amazon Wishlist to help make a difference.



The graphic features a blue sky with white clouds at the top, a brown stone castle on a green hill in the middle, and a green field at the bottom. The text is centered and reads: 'You're invited!' in large blue letters, 'Gibbsville Church VBS' in smaller blue letters, 'June 15 - 18 9 - 11:45 am' in white letters, and 'Register Online' in smaller white letters. Below this, it says 'VBS Volunteer Meetings & Craft Prep' in green, followed by 'Fellowship Hall' with a red location pin icon. A list of dates follows: '• Sunday, May 17 at 10:15 AM', '• Sunday, May 31 at 10:15 AM', and '• Wednesday, June 10 at 6:00 PM'. At the bottom, the 'Answers VBS EMERALD CROSSING' logo is displayed in white on a green background, next to a QR code.

# You're invited!

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9 - 11:45 am

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## Gibbsville CHURCH

*To Know God and Make Him Known*



## TESTIMONY

*Sunday*



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